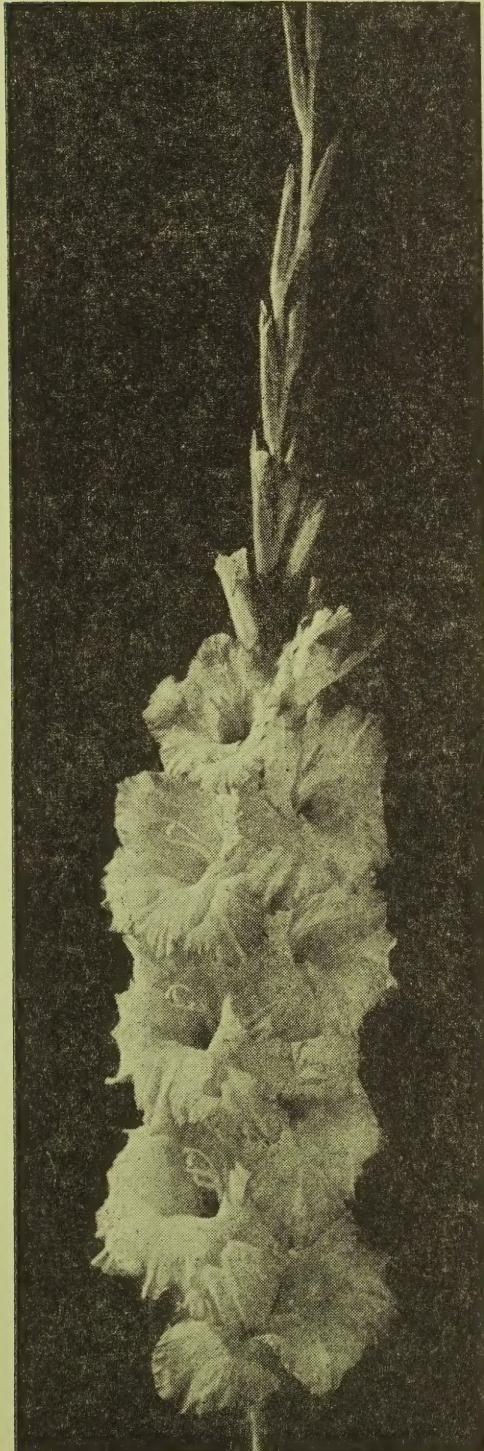


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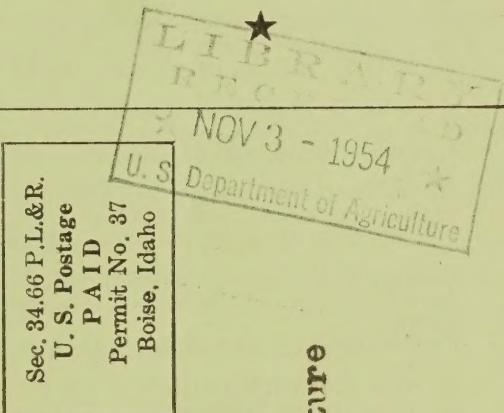
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Again we present a choice selection of fine modern glads. Each year we try out most of the promising new varieties, selecting only the best for our listing. Large-size bulbs in some varieties will be scarce this year, but remember that a medium bulb of number 3 size will give fine results. We always put in number 3 for mediums, as long as they last. Large bulbs are usually assorted 1's and 2's, with as many number ones as possible. Our bulbs are clean and healthy; no botrytis or other diseases in our dry climate. Satisfaction is guaranteed. Fall orders are filled in the order received, but not necessarily shipped in that order. Southern and western orders are usually shipped first; eastern orders after danger of winter freezing is past.

Would you like to receive a bulb or two of a fine new variety at very little extra cost? With your order of \$5.00 or more, if you will include enough extra to cover postage, or will agree to send us (after you receive your order) the amount of postage shown on the package, we will include with your order a new 1954 or 1955 introduction of value at least THREE TIMES the cost of the postage. This is in addition to our usual extras. If you wish to refund the postage to us and receive this special new bulb, just check the space provided on the order blank.

ABLAZE (Roberts '54) 351 (E). Flashy medium-sized red and yellow novelty. A larger, brighter version of Flashlight.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50

ACE OF SPADES (Sisson '50) 454 (EM). Darkest of the black reds, opening about 5 large silky flowers at a time on tall spikes.

L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

ANGEL WINGS (Kolb '54) 300 (EM). Fine new commercial prospect in the whites. Opens 8 round, frilled, nicely-placed florets on good spikes.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

BERGEN (Van Voorhis '54) 470 (E). Extremely tall vigorous purple. Placement erratic at times; otherwise good habits.

L \$2.00, M \$1.35, S .65, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

BERMUDA (Roberts '52) 531 (M). Light coral pink with white throat. The extremely heavy ruffling and leathery substance must be seen to be believed! Very lovely. Opens 8 to 10.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50, 100-\$12.00

BLACK CHERRY (Rich '48) 554 (M). Still just about the best and most reliable black red in existence, in our opinion. Good grower and stands heat well.

L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

BLUE DEVIL (Larus '51) 479 (EM). Novelty blue-violet that is very popular with most people. A little on the bizarre side, with its red-violet darts on white throat. Striking.

L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .75, Blts. 2-.30, 10-\$1.20, 100-\$9.60

BOISE BELLE (Roberts '48) 433 (ML). One of the best exhibition glads, opening 10 to 12 lovely ruffled pink and yellow flowers at once. Its opening and holding qualities often give Boise Belle the second-day championship; it won this award in 1954 at the Central International and Eastern Oregon shows, among others.

L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

BRANDYWINE (Howell '53) 470 (EM). Lovely silky maroon-purple of a distinct shade. The medium-large flowers have a smooth enameled finish. Tall and healthy grower.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00

BURMA ROSE (Lasch '53) 563 (EM). A Burma "sport" with a lighter color than the original; darker rose throat. Grows and propagates like Burma.

L \$1.00, M .60, S .35, Blts. 3-.25, 10-.65

CARMEN CORLISS (Roberts '53) 430 (EM). Soft glistening light coral pink with bright yellow lip petals. Medium size and height; 5 or 6 open at once. Won "Most Beautiful" award, Conn., 1953.

L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00, 100-\$8.00

CELESTIAL ROSE (Melk '54) 460-440 (M). Lovely light pure pink with white throat. Should be a good commercial cut flower. Opens 8 on good spikes.

L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .60, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50

CHEROKEE (G. V. Snyder '53) 590 (EM). Fine rose-shaded bronze. Tall, large, vigorous. Distinctly different and should be a grand show flower.
L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 5-.40, 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

CHINOOK (Lines '49) 532 (ML). Huge, tall coral salmon without markings. Lovely color and we think much superior to some highly advertised giant glads. Does best from medium bulbs.
L .35, M .25, S 2-.30, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

COLOGNE (Roberts '48) 342-344 (EM). Distinctly fragrant deep pink with small cream center. One of the best scented glads available.
L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

COLUMBIA (Roberts '51) 407 (EM). Lovely creamy white with rose-pink border around the petals. Grand variety for show or cut flowers.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts. 25-.25, 100-.75

CONTRAST (Arenius '54) 441 (ML). Pink with purple throat. Almost too much "contrast" for our taste, but will probably be admired by many. Good grower.
L \$1.50, M \$1.25, S \$1.00, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50

COPPER LUSTRE (Pazderski '53) 580 (EM). Huge smoky bronzy-rose with deeper flecking. An attractive variety as well as one of the very largest. Bound to become popular.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 2-.20, 10-.75

CORAL ACE (Bunn '52) 533 (EM). An orange-salmon sport of Burma; deeper red-orange throat. A most attractive color, and seems to grow better here than Burma.
L .40, M .25, S 2-.30, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

CREAM ORCHIDS (Fischer '51) 406 (E). Lovely clear light cream with scalloped petal edges. Grand early cut flower variety.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

CRIMSON TIDE (Roberts '45) 452 (M). Unique heavily ruffled crimson red with white darts; florets of extra heavy substance. A beautiful red, unlike any other.
L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

CRUSADER (Fischer '52) 301 (VE). Beautiful medium-sized snowy white with light purple throat spots. Opens 6 lightly frilled florets on graceful stems.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 10-.30, 100-\$2.40

CRYSTAL ORCHID (Browne '52) 506 (EM). Clear creamy white except for unobtrusive light lavender throat lines. Grows and propagates like Elizabeth the Queen, of which it is a color sport. Fine cut flower variety.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

DARK DAVID (Morgan '51) 554 (EM). Not the blackest of the maroons, but certainly one of the best. Opens 6 or 7 very large dark red flowers on fine tall spikes.
L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts. 20-.25

DAVID WARR (Warr '53) 436 (E). Ruffled orange-scarlet that made a good impression with us. Should be a good early cut flower, as it has a nice bright color and good growing habits.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

DELIGHT (Roberts '54) 430 (M). Lovely light creamy salmon with a lighter center. One of the most heavily ruffled varieties grown, and one of the most beautiful. Opens 6 or 7 at once on average spikes.
L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50, 100-\$12.00

DESERT DUSK (Rich '50) 586 (ML). Gray-toned smoky with a soft orange throat. One of our favorite smokies. Will open up to 9 or 10 at once.
L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

DIVINITY (Roberts '52) 306 (M). Chaste, clear rich cream with no markings. Six heavily ruffled florets open on spikes of moderate height. Should be a winner in its class at the shows, when bulbs are more widely distributed.
L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

EARLY RED (Knight '53) 450 (E). We are sold on the value of this fine early cut flower red. It opens and holds up well in water, and has a lovely clear color. Opens 6 or 7 florets on graceful, straight stems.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 4-.20, 10-.40

EARLY SNOW (Roberts '52) 400 (E). This was our best early white for cutting last summer, blooming in early July along with Friendship, Early Red, etc. Early Snow opens from 6 to 8 large lovely frilled flowers on rather willowy but straight stems. May show a slight pinkish tinge at times. Fine propagator.
L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-20, 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

EDITH WARR (Warr '52) 542 (M). A huge light pink that will give King Size a battle for "largest florets" honors, and is also a prettier glad, we think.
L \$1.00, M .75, S .40, Blts. 2-25, 10-\$1.00

FALCON (Woods '49) 567 (EM). Lovely medium lavender with markings. Petals are fluted and nicely recurved. Our nomination for the most orchid-like glad.
L .20, M 2-25, S 3-25, Blts. 20-25, 100-\$1.00

FIRE OPAL (Fischer '54) 422 (EM). Bright salmon-orange with yellow throat. Opens 6 or 7 on spikes of moderate height. Excellent color value.
L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

FLORIBUNDA (Pruitt '54) 540 (M). Beautiful pale pink with orchid-pink shadings, faint throat markings. Very many open. Like a larger Phantom Beauty. Strong grower, with tall stems and medium flowerheads.
L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 4-25, 10-.50

FORSYTHIA (Harris '52) 512 (EM). One of the best newer yellows. Buds are chartreuse, changing to a clear medium yellow on opening. Capable of making grand spikes, with 6 to 8 large flowers open at a time.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 10-40, 100-\$3.00

FORT KNOX (Torrie-Flad '53) 412 (EM). A worthy rival of Gold for color; not quite as heavily ruffled but makes longer heads. A beautiful large deep yellow.
L .60, M .40, Blts. 4-25, 10-.50

FRANCESCA (Toben '50) 566 (ML). This opalescent pinkish lavender is one of the most beautiful of all glads when well grown. It opens 6 or 7 round, ruffled florets on fine tall, straight spikes.
L .50, M .30, S .20, Blts. 10-30, 100-\$2.40

GARDEN GOLD (Rich '48) 512 (M). A huge medium-deep yellow that is surely the biggest yellow and one of the largest glads of any color. Tall, husky grower. Won "largest floret" award at the 1954 Grande Ronde (Eastern Oregon) show.
L .30, M .20, S 2-25, Blts. 10-20, 100-\$1.50

GARNET RUFFLES (Maynard '53) 352 (M). This medium-sized clear dark garnet-red shows no markings, and opens a nice ribbon of bloom, 8 or more, to produce a grand show spike.
L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .75, Blts. 2-25, 10-\$1.00, 100-\$8.00

GLAD TIDINGS (Arenius '52) 462 (EM). A bright shade of cerise-rose that is different and most appealing. Florists love this color; combines well with roses.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 4-25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

GOLD (Marshall '51) 412 (E). Ruffled deep yellow of heavy substance and unsurpassed color value. Tall stems, though the flowerheads would be better with a few more buds.
L .25, M .20, S 2-25, Blts. 10-.20

GOLDEN BOY (Secrest '54) 310-312 (EM). A very nice new yellow; medium-deep in tone as it grows here. We had a few spikes crook slightly, otherwise very good growing habits. Will be a heavy prize-winner in its class.
L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .75, Blts. 2-25, 10-\$1.00

GOLDEN DAWN (Savelief '51) 410 (EM). Medium to light yellow that makes good spikes with up to 7-8 or more open at once. One of our favorite yellows for cutting.
L .25, M .20, S 2-25, Blts. 20-25, 100-\$1.00

GOLDRUFF (Palmer '53) 312 (M). Extremely beautiful medium yellow with many closely-placed ruffled florets open at once. Very similar to Sprite except for color.
L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 4-25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

HARRIET (Everett '51) 370 (EM). Best and prettiest 300-size purple. Good color, slightly ruffled. Flowerhead bends some when fully opened.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 10-20, 100-\$1.50

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WE DO NOT ISSUE A GENERAL WHOLESALE LIST.

BULBS: All bulbs are priced per EACH, unless otherwise noted. 10 bulbs at 8 times price of one, or 5 at 4 times price of one. PLEASE NOTE—Where bulbs are priced:

2-30, ten bulbs are 1.20 (5 for .60)	3-25, ten bulbs are .65 (5 for .35)
2-25, ten bulbs are 1.00 (5 for .50)	4-25, ten bulbs are .50
2-20, ten bulbs are .80 (5 for .40)	5-25 ten bulbs are .40

BULBLETS: Where a 25 or 50 price is not given, 50 bulblets will be sold for half the 100 price, 25 for two times the ten price. If bulblets are priced 10-1.00 or higher, 5 sold at half 10 price.

PREMIUM SEEDLINGS: We will include one bulb of a new NAMED seedling variety free with an order from this list of \$10.00 or more; one bulb of TWO new named seedling varieties with a \$20.00 or larger order. Not more than one bulb of each variety to a customer. Full descriptions of these new glads in our January catalog.

SPECIAL CASH DISCOUNT FOR EARLY ORDERS: (Applies to fully-paid orders of \$5.00 or more)

Orders to November 10, deduct 20%. Orders to December 10, deduct 15%.
Orders to January 10, deduct 10%.

HARRISBURGER (Mikle '53) 552 (ML). Marvelous giant red of a very brilliant, intense shade. Not a scarlet, but an extremely rich, bright pure red. Bulbs of Harrisburger are in very heavy demand, and rightly so. Blooming season is mid-late. A good propagator.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-25, 10-\$1.00, 100-\$8.00

HEIRLOOM (Klein '52) 566 (EM). We had beautiful tall spikes of Heirloom last summer from medium bulbs; better spikes than from large bulbs. A lovely shade of clear medium lavender, small white throat.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 4-25, 10-\$4.00

HERALD (Palmer '54) 317 (M). Gaily-colored buff orange with orange-red throat marking. Nicely ruffled florets; 6-8 open on average spikes. Similar in type to Goldruff and Sprite, but a very distinct color.

L \$2.00, M \$1.25, S .75, Blts. 2-30, 10-\$1.20

HI JINKS (Cassebeer '53) 483 (E). An appealing smoky rose with mulberry shadings and a large cream throat for effective contrast. Opens 6 on tall, willowy, straight spikes.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-25, 10-\$1.00, 100-\$8.00

INDIGO (Butt '54) 478 (E). A blue glad with good growing habits is somewhat of a rarity, but we have one in Indigo. A smooth dark violet-blue with a couple of inconspicuous white lines. Should be very popular.

L \$2.00, M \$1.25, S .75, Blts. 2-30, 10-\$1.20

KAREN (Mazur '52) 471 (EM). Much-admired dark rosy purple with large cream throat.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-25, 10-\$1.00

KING COTTON (Roberts '54) 500 (EM). A very tall frilled white that is practically as white as White Cloud and perhaps better for commercial use. Does beautifully from medium and even small bulbs. 6-7 round florets open at once.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50, 100-\$12.00

KING DAVID (Carlson '51) 570 (EM). Rich royal purple with a narrow white picotee edge around the ruffled petals. Very beautiful and a favorite purple.

L .25, M .20, S 2-25, Blts. 20-25, 100-\$1.00

KING SIZE (Hartman '53) 531 (M). Light salmon pink with rosy throat markings. Though others may surpass it in beauty, it is really big and will please those who are looking for size in glads.

L .75, M .50, S .30, Blts. 4-25, 10-.50

LARGO (Roberts '53) 411 (M). Exquisite in color, the large yellow center is touched with pink at the edges only. Usually makes rather short flower heads, and will appeal mostly to those glad fans who appreciate lovely color combinations. Marvelous for arrangements and corsages.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-20, 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

LAVENDER BEAUTY (Kolb '50) 466 (M). A lovely and very reliable lavender that we use in quantity for cutting; in fact it is our best lavender for this purpose. Opens 7 or 8 large, ruffled pinkish-lavender flowers on fine tall spikes.

L 2-25, M 3-25, S 5-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

LAVENDER BLUE (Henderson '53) 576 (EM). Interesting color sport of Elizabeth the Queen. A light grayish-blue with faint throat lines. To us it seems more of a pale lavender or light smoky than a blue, but a nice glad, whatever its proper classification.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-25

LEAH GORHAM (Gorham '51) 451 (EM). Fine bright scarlet-red with a clear white throat. Fine grower and propagator.

L 2-25, M .3-.25, S 5-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

LODESTAR (Palmer '50) 412 (EM). One of the prettiest yellows we grow or know about. A lovely, smooth, unmarked shade of medium yellow. 6 to 7 ruffled florets open on spikes of medium height.

L 2-.25, M 3-.25, S 5-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

LOOK (Taylor-Rockley '53) 540 (M). A very tall husky light pink that should easily make the cut flower grade. Easy grower, fast propagator.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-20, 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

MARGERY (Melk '53) 462 (EM). Bright medium-deep rose with darker shadings. A husky grower that may throw an occasional crooked stem. Much admired in our garden. Opens a lot at once on tall spikes.
L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .60, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50

MARIGOLD (Palmer '54) 416 (M). Light orange-buff of even coloring and large size. Looks good from a limited trial.
L \$2.00, M \$1.25, S .75, Blts. 2-.30, 10-\$1.20

MESA MIST (Hartman '52) 486 (M). Soft silvery gray with lavender cast. One of the prime favorites among visitors to our garden. A lovely smoky.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

MOTHER FISCHER (Fischer '51) 400 (EM). A tall reliable white with a slight throat marking, 6 to 7 ruffled florets of good size open at a time.
L .25, M .25, S 3-.25, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

MRS. RHODA PETERSON (Menzies '51) 582 (E). Plant this early-blooming smoky as early as possible or as late as possible for best flowers. Beautiful when planted in June for fall blooming, as extreme heat causes burning and fading. Large rosy-gray with small white throat.

L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

NOWETA ROSE (Fischer '50) 568 (EM). This medium-deep rosy lavender is very popular for shows and gardens, though flowerheads are often rather short. Often nearly the whole spike is open at once, making quite a show.
L .30, M .20, S 2-.20, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

OKINAWA (Loar '50) 381 (M). Rosy chocolate with some deeper flecking and a reddish throat. Unique and much admired. Often wins in its class.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 4-.25, Blts. 25-.25, 100-.75

PAINTED LADY (Roberts '52) 443 (M). Pure pink with large white center; lip petals heavily outlined scarlet. Florets heavily ruffled. Very novel.
L .40, M .25, S 2-.30, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

PENNANT (Palmer '52) 440 (ML). A very lovely clear, unflecked light pink that will open a lot at once (up to 10) on tall stems, medium flowerheads. Truly a beautiful glad.
L .40, M .30, S 2-.30, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

PERSIAN RUG (Roberts '50) 486 (M). A novel combination of plum and rose shades, with a very large creamy yellow throat. Opens 7 at once on spikes that average good, some shorter ones. Most people like this very much.

L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

PINK CHIFFON (Fischer '53) 440 (EM). Its lovely soft orchid-pink coloring is the outstanding feature of this glad; close to the color of the old favorite variety, Rima. A wonderful florist color.

L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

PINK DIAMOND (Fischer '54) 440-460 (E). Delicate light orchid-pink with small greenish-cream throat; a very beautiful combination. It will open 7 or 8 medium-large flowers on graceful stems. Nicely ruffled and very lovely.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.20, 10-.75

PINK HARMONY (Tyndall '54) 540 (VE). A grand early pure pink with lighter throat. Wonderful commercial prospect. Just about the first thing we had in bloom last summer. Good color and fine spikes; 6 or 7 large flowers open.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

PINK PRIDE (Arenius '52) 541 (EM). A real exhibition variety and a fine cutflower glad. Its color—medium pink with soft red feather—is very good for a giant variety. Flecks hardly any for us. Many open on fine tall spikes. We like this a lot.

L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

POINSETTIA (Weeks '52) 450 (M). Fine clear scarlet red with practically no markings. Excellent cut flower. Bulblets a little hard to sprout but seem to be improving in this respect.

L .25, M 2-.30, S 2-.20, Blts. 20-.25

PRINCESS (Larus '53) 466 (M). One of the very best lavenders we grow. Clear medium to deep lavender with small darker feather. Opens 8 to 10 medium-large well placed blooms on tall spikes. Excellent.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 3-.25, 10-.65, 100-\$5.00

PROSPECTOR (Leffingwell '53) 410 (EM). A very pretty light yellow with a deeper amber-yellow throat. Florets are nicely ruffled, 6 open. A lovely color.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .60, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00

QUEEN ANNE (Johnson '54) 401 (EM). A much improved Margaret Beaton, with approximately the same color combination—white with red throat on a small area of cream. It holds 9 or 10 open at once, florets tightly attached to a good stem.

L \$3.00, M \$2.00, S \$1.50, Blts. .40 each

RED FEATHER (Butt '51) 552 (ML). Wonderful big tall deep red that is capable of making a stupendous spike. Len Butt's grand replacement for his good older variety, Mighty Monarch. Opens to 10 or more at a time.

L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 5-.25, 10-.40, 100-\$3.00

RED RADIANCE (Melk '53) 450 (M). A very brilliant scarlet-red; so bright it actually hurts the eyes when viewed in bright sunlight! Large florets, 7 to 9 open on tall spikes. L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00

RED TAPE (Butt '53) 550 (M). An extremely large medium red; brighter than Red Feather, and a rival of that variety or any other red in size and opening ability. A good one.

L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 5-.25, 10-.40, 100-\$3.00

REGINA (Palmer '53) 520 (EM). A richer, deeper colored Sun Spot, with the same rosy red throat spot. The ground color is deep buff or light orange. 7 to 8 open on fine tall spikes; an occasional one may crook. A grand combination of beauty and rugged growth. L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 5-.25, 10-.40, 100-\$3.00

ROSITA (Woods '52) 563 (EM). Big and beautiful is this medium rose with light gray edging around the petals and deeper rose throat. 7 to 9 very large, waved and fluted flowers are open on tall spikes. Grand show glad.

L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

ROYAL FLUSH (Barrett '50) 552 (ML). A very rich crimson red that makes a long ribbon of velvety bloom with its 8 to 10 ruffled florets open at once. One of our favorites, and a real beauty.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 3-.25, 10-.65, 100-\$5.00

ROYAL TREAT (Lins '52) 452 (EM). Lovely deep rosy-maroon with large round ruffled florets, 7 or 8 of which open at once in perfect formation. A grand glad that is not as widely grown as it should be.

L .35, M .25, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

RUFFLED EBONY (Fischer '53) 454 (EM). The individual florets of this highly ruffled maroon are perhaps the most beautiful of the black reds. The jet black buds open to a lovely garnet-maroon. 5 to 6 open on tall willowy spikes.

L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 10-.40, 100-\$3.00

SCEPTRE (D. W. White '54) 410 (EM). A fine show prospect in the yellows. Outclasses all other yellows in flowerhead stretch and number open. Light to medium yellow without markings.

L \$3.00, M \$2.00, S \$1.00, Blts. .35 each, 3-\$1.00

SIERRA SNOW (Harris '51) 400 (M). An exceptionally tall, vigorous white with creamy center. It quite consistently makes spikes of championship quality, with 8 or 10 or more open at a time.

L .30, M .20, S 2-.25, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

SNOWCLAD (Harris '53) 500 (EM). Supposed to be an improvement on Sierra Snow from the same originator. Our blooms, from small bulbs, had good color, but naturally did not make very big spikes.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00, 100-\$8.00

SNOWDRIFT (Fischer '54) 500 (EM). Large creamy white with slightly deeper cream center. It opens a number of heavily ruffled florets at once. Can be grown to championship form, as witness a number of grand championships and other high awards, even before introduction.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00

SOUTHERN BELLE (Fischer '52) 483 (E). Deep pink with a clear white center. There is often a touch of smokiness toward petal edges. 3-spike second day Champ at Central International last summer.

L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts. 25-.25, 100-.75

SOUTH SEAS (Wilson '47) 491 (ML). Favorite dark gray smoky with small bright red feather. Makes nice stretchy spikes with 7 or more open. Frequent show winner.

L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 5-.25, Blts. 50-.25

Sprite (Palmer '52) 320 (EM). Lovely light golden orange opening 8 to 10 medium-sized ruffled florets at once.

L .40, M .30, S 2-.30, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

STORM TERROR (Wilson '50) 582 (M). Smoky rose-beige that is a favorite with many. A creamy throat adds interest.

L .40, M .25, S 2-.30, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

STORMY WEATHER (Barrett '47) 480 (M). We like this smoky for its soft but attractive coloring and many-open spikes. Shades of gray, tan, and rose nicely blended. Fast propagator.

L 2-.25, M 3-.25, S 5-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

SUNDOWN (C. Robinson '54) 533-523 (EM). Orange-salmon or coral orange with a brilliant orange-scarlet throat. Reminds us of Valentine in general color tone and contrast; flowers are even larger, rounder, and very tightly attached to the stem.

L \$2.00, M \$1.00, S .50, Blts. .25 each, 10-.20

TAN GLO (Arenius '54) 480 (M). We look for this new glad to top the smoky class at the shows, as it has good color, size and height, and opens up to 8 or more. Rosy-tan with a smoky sheen.

L \$2.50, M \$2.00, S \$1.50, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

THE RAJAH (Jack '51) 570 (EM). One of the most attractive purples. Florets are large, round and nicely ruffled; color a clear royal purple.

L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts. 25-.25, 100-.75

THUNDERBOLT (Pierce '53) 454 (M). Visitors always admire Thunderbolt for its rich color. With a few more inches height it could be the most popular maroon. It has more life and sheen than most of the black reds.

L .60, M .40, S .25, Blts. 10-.40, 100-\$3.00

TIMES SQUARE (Butt '54) 570 (E). Fine new early purple. A vastly improved King Lear, although not exactly the same shade. Opens 6 to 8 tightly attached florets on good spikes.

L \$2.00, M \$1.25, S .75, Blts. 2-.30, 10-\$1.20

TYRONE (Deam '52) 466 (EM). Reliable light lavender with small cream throat. Should make a dandy cutflower lavender.

L .50, M .30, S .20, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

VALENTINE (Larus '52) 421 (M). This light salmon orange with vermillion throat was better than ever last summer; really outstanding. A good grower and propagator. Fine show glad.

L .60, M .45, S .30, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

VANISLE (G. R. White '52) 590 (EM). An exotic mulberry-rose shade that appeals to most everyone. There is usually a small white patch in the center with darker feather. It will open about 5 charmingly fluted florets on fair spikes.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00

VISION (Roberts '53) 331 (M). A well-grown spike of Vision is indeed a sight to behold, with up to 12 perfectly placed ruffled florets open at once. A lovely light salmon and cream combination. Promising show variety.

L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .50, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50

VOO-DUN-IT (Kadel '51) 490 (EM). A "must" for the smoky and A. O. C. fan is this light smoky bronze with rose peppering over a yellow center. It opens 6 or 7 large, informally placed florets on good stems.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00, 100-\$8.00

WAX CANARY (Woods '54) 530 (EM). Beautiful light buffy salmon with a touch of yellow in the center. Florets are charmingly frilled and ruffled; at least 7 are open on good spikes. This has won championship awards.

L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .75, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

WELCOME (Roberts '54) 436 VE). One of the very first glads to bloom; vies with Early Red as earliest of the reds. Welcome is a bright, light scarlet of self coloring. It opens up to 9 or 10 on good spikes.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, S \$1.00, Blts. .20 each, 10-\$1.50

WHITE CLOUD (Roberts '52) 500 (EM). Whitest of all the whites, and also the most beautiful florets. It opens 6 or 7 very large, round heavily ruffled flowers on tall stems. Very lovely.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

WHITE LACE (Fischer '51) 300 (E). Beautiful medium-small white with cream center. Not tall, but wonderful for sprays, corsages, and arrangements.

L .25, M 2-.30, S 3-.25, Blts. 50-.25

WHITE SAILS (Arenius '54) 401 (EM). This new snow white with lavender feather was one of the best new ones we bloomed last summer. It opens 10 or more in perfect placement on tall spikes. Wonderful show prospect.

L \$2.00, M \$1.50, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

WHITE TOWER ('51) 501 (EM). Huge tall white with scarlet-pink throat. We always sell out of this early. Very popular.

L .35, M .30, S 2-.30, Blts. 5-.25, 10-.40

WONDER BOY (Tyndall '52) 470 (M). Grand new purple, often flecked deeper. This should give the other purples some competition at the shows. Large, many open.

L \$1.00, M .50, S .35, Blts. 2-.25, 10-\$1.00

YULETIDE (Roberts '53) 437 (ML). Light scarlet with a peppering of gold in the throat. Quite unusual and a nice glad.

L \$1.00, M .75, S .50, Blts. 2-.20, 10-.75, 100-\$6.00

MINIATURE AND SMALL GLADS

The small varieties are becoming increasingly popular for table centerpieces, small bouquets, corsages, etc. They fit in so well in many places where the big glads would be out of place. Try a few of the modern small glads and see why they are enjoying such popularity.

ALECIA (200). The finest new miniature in our 1954 trial garden. A bewitching pure white, even to the stamens, with lightly frilled rounded florets. Lovely!

L .75, M .50, S .35, Blts. 2-.20

ATOM (236). Stunning scarlet red, with each petal bordered white.

L 2-.25, M 3-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

BO-PEEP (231). Lovely light salmon with slight throat markings. The ruffled florets are like butterflies perched on the sturdy stems.

L 2-.25, M 3-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

DAINTINESS (200). Exquisite small creamy white. More ruffled than Alecia and of different form. We would not want to be without either.

L \$1.25, M .75, S .50, Blts. 3-.25, 10-.65, 100-\$5.00

DRESDEN (210). Dainty light yellow that opens up to 7 lovely ruffled flowers on quite good spikes.

L .75, M .50, S .25, Blts. 5-.25, 10-.40

FIFTH AVENUE (252). Dark red with many open florets. Can make excellent show spikes, and the color is good.

L .25, M .20, S 2-.30, Blts. 10-.20, 100-\$1.50

FIGURINE (217). Buff yellow with brownish red throat marking. Quite unusual and attractive.
L .50, M .35, S .20, Blts. 10-.30, 100-\$2.40

FLAIR (391). A very odd and exotic little glad. Light cream with rosy blush, and a dark reddish-purple throat blotch. Petals are waved and flared in a most interesting manner.
L .75, M .60, S .40, Blts. 3-.25, 10-.65, 100-\$5.00

FLASHLIGHT (237). Flashy salmon-scarlet with a large clean-cut bright yellow throat. There is no other glad just like Flashlight. It rated third most popular glad of all sizes in last year's Popular Gardening symposium. Grow some and see why!
L \$1.50, M \$1.00, S .50, Blts. 2-.25, 10-.1.00, 100-\$8.00

FROLIC (213). A very showy little glad of deep yellow with bright scarlet markings on the center petals. Marvelous contrast.
L \$2.00, M \$1.50, Blts. .25 each

GAILY CLAD (211). Chartreuse yellow with red throat. Not quite as brilliantly colored as Frolic, but a very nice little glad.
L \$1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

GOLDETTE (212). Lovely ruffled deep yellow. Something like Statuette without the throat marking and with additional ruffling to the petals. Sure to become popular.
L \$3.00, M \$2.00, S \$1.25, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

GREMLIN (251). Cute little deep salmon-scarlet or light red with center interestingly marked on all petals. We are not usually too keen on face-ups, but Gremlin (a semi-faceup) has become one of our favorites.
L .60, M .40, S .25, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

JINGLES (230). One of the best in this class, Jingles has made a good record at the shows. It opens 7 or more on sturdy stems. Color is a clear light salmon pink.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 4-.25, Blts. 20-.25, 100-\$1.00

LAVENDER PETUNIA (269). One of the cutest small glads we know of is this dainty deep lavender with snow white throat. A truly stunning color combination and will be very popular. We reserve the right to limit quantities, as we expect the demand will exceed the supply this year.
L or M .50 each, Blts., 2-.25

LITTLE GOLD (220). A marvelous color that is well described by its name. Brilliant golden orange with no markings.
L 2-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

LITTLE SWEETHEART (240). This dainty ruffled pink and white is still the sweetheart of the little glads. Makes beautiful arrangements and corsages. Everyone likes this one.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 4-.25, Blts. 50-.25, 100-.40

PETER PAN (233). Deep salmon with darker throat. Makes wonderful stretchy spikes with many open florets that are nicely ruffled. Grand show variety.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 4-.25, Blts. 50-.25

PIROUETTE (232). Medium deep salmon with a stippled throat. Opens about 6 airily placed slightly ruffled flowers on slender spikes. Fine for decoration.
L .60, M .40, S .25, Blts. 10-.25, 100-\$2.00

SKALAWAG (242). Medium deep pink with a yellow center. Color somewhat similar to that of Twinkles but a much different, rounder form.
L \$1.00, M .60, S .40, Blts. 4-.25, 10-.50, 100-\$4.00

STATUETTE (211). Extra fine small yellow with a slight darker stippled throat marking. One of Butt's best miniatures; very popular.
L 2-.30, M 2-.20, S 4-.25, Blts. 25-.25, 100-.75

TOYTOWN (250). A lovely light red or deep salmon scarlet with lighter center. We predict that this will be heard from in a big way when seen at the shows. Placement of the 8-open florets is perfect, and they are beautifully ruffled.
L \$3.00, M \$2.00, S \$1.25, Blts. .25 each, 10-\$2.00

TWINKLES (232). Twinkles is still one of our favorite small glads. Charming and bright with its deep salmon edges and bright yellow center.
L .20, M 2-.25, S 3-.25, Blts. 15-.25